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| For: ELECTRON-EMITTING DEVICE, | ) | |
| ELECTRON SOURCE USING THE | : | |
| ELECTRON-EMITTING DEVICE, | ) | |
| AND IMAGE-FORMING APPARATUS | : | |
| USING THE ELECTRON SOURCE | ) | September 17, 2002 |

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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in

accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is

directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed

documents are also enclosed.

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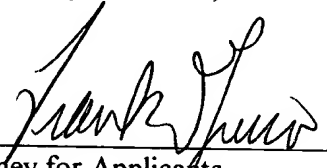Signature                  Date of Signature

For the concise statement of relevance of the listed non-English documents, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the corresponding English Abstracts attached thereto. Also, for documents 07-235255 and 08-273523, the Examiner is referred to counterpart U.S. Patent Nos. 6,169,356 and 5,986,389, respectively.

## CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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